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Vice CNET to announce NJROTC Nationals Champion

PENSACOLA, Fla.-- Rear Adm. David L. Brewer III, vice chief of Naval Education and Training is scheduled to be Navy Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (NJROTC) award ceremony guest speaker Saturday, April 7, at 7 p.m. at the National Museum of Naval Aviation, Naval Air Station Pensacola.

NJROTC cadets representing 24 high schools from 15 states compete for national honors today and tomorrow, April 6 and 7, during a Chief of Naval Education and Training-sponsored NJROTC Nationals Field Meet. The meet is scheduled to begin at 7:30 a. m., both days, at Naval Air Technical Training Center's Chevalier Hall, Building 3460, and the adjacent Naval Air Station Pensacola Soccer Field. The units compete in personnel inspections, academic tests, military drill and athletic competitions.

Local area Pace High School NJROTC, Pace, Fla., is one of 491 NJROTC units throughout the United States and overseas that earned the right to be part of this year's competition.

Media representatives are invited and encouraged to cover this award ceremony. Media interested covering this event need to contact Cmdr. Anthony Cooper, CNET Public Affairs Officer, at 850.452.4858, or JO2 Eileen M. N. Kelly, CNET reporting journalist at 850.452.9110 by 4 p.m., today.